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Hongkong, End January, 1875.

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THE Editorial Department of the Daily  
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is this day placed in the hands of Mr. R.  
CHATTERTON WILCOX.W. H. BELL,  
Daily Press Office.

Hongkong, January 11th, 1875.

LAWCE.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, JANUARY 23RD, 1875.

## Vessels Advertised as Loading.

DESTINATION	VEHICLE'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DESPATCHED
LONDON via SUEZ CANAL	Sampson (six.)	Engel	EN	Butterfield & Swire	On or about 29th inst.
Do	Pheasant	Whampeo	Hongkong	O'Hearn & Co.	Quick despatch.
NEW YORK	Chattanooga	Whampeo	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick despatch.
Do	Commissary	Hunter	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick despatch.
Do	John Milton	Murphy	Hongkong	Brindley & Co.	Quick despatch.
DUNEDIN AND SYDNEY, NEW ZEALAND	Morning Light	Souza	Hongkong	Vogel Hagedorn & Co.	Quick despatch.
MANILA	Gamecock	Stoddard	Hongkong	Yule & Son & Co.	On 15th Feb., at 3 P.M.
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, &c.	Frolic (six.)	McMurtry	Hongkong	Messageries Maritimes	On 29th inst., at noon.
YOKOHAMA	Transvaal	Travancore	Hongkong	Rodrigues & Co.	Quick despatch.
SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, &c.	Formosa (six.)	Morales	Hongkong	Vogel Hagedorn & Co.	Quick despatch.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	Kabirge (six.)	Gaines	Hongkong	Turner & Co.	On or about 29th inst.
YOKOHAMA	Pitman	P. O. & S. N. Co.	Hongkong	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Quick despatch.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	N. Haswell	P. O. & S. N. Co.	Hongkong	P. O. & S. N. Co.	On 4th February at noon.
YOKOHAMA	Maslin (six.)	P. O. & S. N. Co.	Hongkong	P. O. & S. N. Co.	Quick despatch.

## MURDERS IN ALLAHABAD.

The local annals of crime have been rather tame of late. A murder was committed last week near the City Road. A traveller, a Parsee, was on a journey by rail, and was compelled by illness to stop over a day at Allahabad, where he took up his abode in the Colony Hospital. The day of his discharge from hospital, being too late for the train, he remained for the night at the house of the hospital sweeper, where he was found strangled in the morning. The sweeper and a boy have been arrested on suspicion, and are now in custody. Another traveller narrowly escaped being murdered about the same time, but succeeded in saving his life. He had probably been the victim of a police officer, who brought the author of the drama for a night's rest. The jemadar, according to the theory of the prosecution, resolved to murder him while asleep, and with this end in view selected a particular place for him to sleep in. The son of the jemadar, however, unconsciously took possession of the fatal spot, and had the misfortune to be shot by the police officer. It was the bullet of having murdered his own son, and of being a prisoner charged with the crime. A man of the Kanchan caste, who he was, also, in custody, charged with having murdered two children for their ornaments.—*Plowman.*

## VERY MUCH MARRIED.

An interesting character, John D. Lee, is now in Beaver-Creek, Utah, awaiting his trial for participating in a massacre of Arkansans emigrated by Mormons in the disguise of Indians, at a place called the Mountain Meadows, in the year 1857. Lee, who after the massacre sought shelter a few miles south of the frontier town of Beaver-Creek on the Pacific Railroad, was the last survivor of a party of Americans who came into the settlements of Arizona, and was there captured, with an English wife, stated to be "a brave, daring woman-as desperate as death itself." This lady, however, is not the only Mrs. Lee. Her husband is "a much married man," having at one time or another married eighteen wives, being the father of sixty-two children, fifty-five of whom are still living. Notwithstanding his great number of wives, his experience, gained by the acquaintance of him by a correspondent of the *Salta Tribune*, writing from Beaver, is not altogether prepossessing:—"Viewed from a philosophical standpoint he is animal. His forehead is villainously low and receding; no tophead at all, such as good conscientious men are supposed to have; who between the eyes is very dark, and the right eye is considerably smaller than the left; his physique is in fact, not large but muscular and powerful, affording perfect health at the age of sixty-two." His English wife, Rachel, is a very superior person. "Her fiery eyes show fight, and she is skilled in the use of firearms." When Lee was "convicted" at Pangnath, he was the first of his friends to seize a weapon, and says if there had been any fighting, he would have been the first to fire. Since his trial, he has been a faithful companion of Lee during his troubles, and shared his cabin in Arizona, which was like an arsenal, well provided with every kind of weapon. This happy little home is now broken up.—*Wall Street Journal.*

Returns of mortality lately published in Paris show that during the two sieges 48,000 males and 26,000 females were killed. The largest proportion of both sexes died from diseases brought on by hardships, and not from wounds.

The foundation-stone of a chapel, intended for the use of the working-classes on the Shaftesbury-park Estate, has been laid, and the design of the striking, baving, arched entrance, and steps which have been finished and completed at the time, were soon ultimately to be understood and appreciated at their proper value by his fellow-men. A great political Government might fall amid the condemnations of the country, but its actions, which had been conceived and executed with a view only to benefit mankind, would in due course be fairly estimated. The Apostles' words, "We are not judges of what is right in God's sight, but the world will see and realize and reap the fruits of their labour." There were dark passages of difficulty and discouragement in the lives of those earnestly endeavouring to do their duty in the world, and to preach that which they conscientiously believed; but they were upheld by the knowledge that they were acting to their Master's command. Such a man, by faith, the world abiding conqueror.

In the afternoon the bishop, who is the guest of the Master of Basil, preached in the chapel of the society, which is not in the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Oxford. The chapel was crossed

ed to overflowing, and large numbers were turned away. The bishop made no allusion to the course adopted by the Bishop of Oxford in reference to him. It is a small corporation that has built the building, abiding entire in the disposal of Dr. Colenso during his stay. The inhibition served upon the right reverend prelate has for the time rendered him the host of the city.—*Newspaper of the World.*

## SHOCKING MURDER IN JAVA.

From the *India* of the 2nd instant is extracted the following account of the murder of a European by his Malay servant at Samarang, a town in the island of Java. The damage done by the striking, baving, arched entrance, and steps which have been finished and completed at the time, were soon ultimately to be understood and appreciated at their proper value by his fellow-men. A great political Government might fall amid the condemnations of the country, but its actions, which had been conceived and executed with a view only to benefit mankind, would in due course be fairly estimated. The Apostles' words, "We are not judges of what is right in God's sight, but the world will see and realize and reap the fruits of their labour." There were dark passages of difficulty and discouragement in the lives of those earnestly endeavouring to do their duty in the world, and to preach that which they conscientiously believed; but they were upheld by the knowledge that they were acting to their Master's command. Such a man, by faith, the world abiding conqueror.

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## COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

22ND JANUARY, 1875.

Patna, \$552—\$557 cash, steady; Benares, \$589 to \$562, small sales; Mulwa, \$535 cash, and \$540 on credit. Since the arrival of the steamer *Hyderabad*, sales amount to about 325 chests, of which about 40 chests on cash terms, of allowance.

EXPORT CARGO.

For str. *Viceroy*, for Yokohama, &c.—

1,580 pks. Iron, 1,612 bags Sugar, 180 bds. Bottags, 79 pkgs. Rose, 295 pks. Sundries.

To Hoio—22 pcks. Merchandise.

To HAKATO—72 pcks. Merchandise.

To SAN FRANCISCO—25 boxes Opium, 12,719 lbs. Tea, 151 bags Bound, 40 bags Sugars, 24 bags Raw Salt, 4 pcks. Silks, 200 bags Tea, 100 boxes Nummits, 60 slabs Tin, 300 tins Hemp.

To CALAO—5 boxes Silks.

To NEW YORK—15 pcks. Merchandise, 30 bales Silk, 5 cases Silk, and 1,033 half-closet Tea.

EXCHANGE.

On LONDON—Bank, on demand, 4/12 to 4/13.

Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, 4/13 to 4/14.

Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight, 4/13 to 4/23.

Documentary Bills, at 6 months' sight, 4/13 to 4/24.

ON BOMBAY—Bank, on demand 222.

ON CALCUTTA—Bank, on demand 220.

ON SHANGHAI—Bank, sight, 4/13 to 4/24.

Private, 30 days' sight, 4/13 to 4/24.

SHANGHAI—Bank, sight, 4/13 to 4/24.

Shanghai and Canton Marine Insurance—The 26th.

Quinco Insurance Company—\$15 per share, ex interest.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares—\$527 per share.

China Traders' Insurance Company's shares—\$100 per share.

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China Traders' Insurance Company's shares—\$100 per share, ex interest.

Shanghai Steam Navigation Company—The 26th.

75 per share, ex dividend.

Hongkong Hotel Company's shares—\$35 per share, ex dividend.

Iodo-Chinese Sugar Company—\$7 per share, nominal.

SALES ON JANUARY 22ND, 1875.

Dried Lily Roots, 10 bags, at \$11.60, by 100 lbs.

Catfish—10 bags, at \$2.50, by Yue-wloong to travelling trader.

White Wax, 2 pieces, at \$35.50, by Foo-kung-wa to travelling trader.

Battans, 50 lbs., 1,000 bags, at \$1.20, Yun-chung-sang to travelling trader.

Battans, 50 lbs., at \$3.60, by Foo-kung-wa to travelling trader.

Long Nan Pu, 20 packages, at Tls. 71.00, by Kwoong-wing to travelling trader.

Fungus, 20 bags, at \$2.50, by Kwoong-wing to travelling trader.

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PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES;

ALSO,

BOMBAY, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

ON THURSDAY, the 26th January, 1875,

the Company's Steamship

"PROVENCE," Commandant MANAUVILLE,

with MAILED, PASSENGERS, SPECIALE, and

CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie to be registered for London

as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in

transit through Marseilles for the principal

places of Europe.

Letters will be granted on board until Noon

and until 3 P.M. on the 25th instant.

Letters to be registered will be received until

10 A.M. on the 26th instant.

Letters posted at 2 P.M. on the 26th

instant.

Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 27th

instant.

Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 28th

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Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 29th

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Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 30th

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Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 31st

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Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 1st

February.

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Letters posted at 10 A.M. on the 8th

February.

